

In the Matter of:
Elwell Post Office
Elwell, Michigan 48832

Docket No. A2012-112

**MOTION OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE FOR LATE
ACCEPTANCE OF ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD**

(January 19, 2012)

The United States Postal Service (Postal Service) respectfully moves for late acceptance of the administrative record in support of the final determination to discontinue the Elwell, MI Post Office. According to 39 CFR § 3001.113 (a), the Postal Service is required to file the record within 15 days of the filing of the petition with the Commission. The earliest petition was filed January 3, 2012, thus making the record due January 18, 2012. The record is being filed one business day out of time due to the need to coordinate with responsible personnel in the field to obtain pertinent documentation. The Postal Service believes that acceptance of this motion should not delay the proceeding, nor should any participant be adversely affected by late acceptance of the administrative record.

Respectfully submitted,

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